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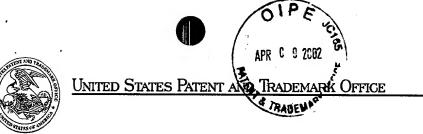
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**STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)** 

Applicants/Patent Owners: Charles X.W. QIAN, Yifan LI, Yi QIN, and Zhenpeng SU  Application No./Patent No.: 10/032,180 Filed/Issue Date: December 21, 2001  Entitled: SPECTRUM DIVISION MULTIPLEXING FOR HIGH CHANNEL COUNT OPTICAL NETWORKS  Nexfon Corporation , a corporation  (Name of Assignee) (Type of Assignee, e.g., corporation, partnership, university, government agency, etc.)
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- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
   Applicant must submit \$ 370 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$288.
  - \$162 for 18 total claims over 20.
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